

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant : Arunkumar B. Thippeswamy et al.  
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Title : Load Sharing on DOCSIS

Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 18, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.